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REPORT

OF THE

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

OF THE

TOWN OF LEBANON,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1859.

HORACE HATCH, WILLIAM S. ELA AND SAMUEL WOOD, 2D,
IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF LEBANON.

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Received cash, per last Report,	898.76
" County pauper account,	772.00
" from the town of Unity,	22.03
" from the town of Warner,	32.50
" from the town of Sunapee,	58.92
" from the town of Lyme,	25.00
" from the town of Cornish,	58.96
" Literary Fund,	139.44
" G. S. Kendrick, lumber,	1.20
" J. Coffey, old plank,	1.00
" Daniel Richardson,	4.00
" Circus license,	40.00
" of School District No. 9,	5.00
" of R. S. Howe, Collector for 1857,	50.00
" of R. S. Howe, tax abatement,	23.65
" Railroad tax,	683.77
" W. K. Eldridge, land rent,	18.20
" John Ela, land rent,	20.00
" R. S. Howe, Collector, 1857,	61.53
" rent of Town Hall,	19.00
" for oxen sold,	85.00
" for wool sold, (balance paid in Farm ex.,)	60.00
" tax bill for 1858,	6,571.58
" of Town Agent,	36.04

\$9,687.58

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Paid School Districts,	2,218.46
" land damages,	195.00
" highways and bridges,	728.18
" ordinary and incidental expenses,	4,258.69
" for town paupers not on farm,	605.84
" for county paupers not on farm,	570.70
" balance in Collector's hands,	493.13
" old bills not reported,	95.92
" cash on hand,	521.66
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	\$9,687.58

SCHOOL MONEY.

Amount due the several Districts, per last report,	1,185.74
Town proportion,	1,658.00
Literary Fund,	139.44
Railroad money,	300.00
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	\$3,283.18

DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS:

DISTRICT.	SCHOLARS.	TOTAL.	BAL. DUE.
No. 1, 6	145.23	133.23	
No. 2, 107	617.16	60.16	
No. 3, 45	273.95	48.95	
No. 4, 22	118.18	30.18	
No. 5, 19	97.07	11.07	
No. 6, 15	82.85	82.85	
No. 7, 18	145.06	7.06	
No. 8, 30	188.19	131.19	
No. 9, 13	155.89	90.69	
No. 10, 47	144.52	12.52	
No. 11, 24	127.53	103.52	
No. 12, 18	168.23	99.23	
No. 13, 51	209.28	22.28	
Nos. 14 and 15, 223	639.93	182.70	
No. 16, 12	129.55	45.05	
McCollister, 7	24.00		
Gile, 5	12.53		
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	662	3,279.14	\$1,060.68
		1,060.68	
Amount paid,		\$2,218.46	

LAND DAMAGES.

Paid J. W. Peck,	150.00
" Joseph Jewett,	25.00
" John Mason,	20.00
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	\$195.00

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid J. W. Cleaveland, making Peck road,	248.63
" J. W. Cleaveland, building bridge wall, E. Lebanon,	94.15
" N. B. Marston, plank,	75.18
" Charles Gates, plank,	32.80
" Horace Wright, plank,	32.62
" E. P. Liscomb, plank,	13.90
" J. W. Gerrish, plank,	19.80
" Lorin Smith, labor,	28.66
" George W. Ela, labor,	17.12
" Murch & Co., iron work,	2.75
" J. Purmoit, iron work,	9.94
" J. Brown, work on road,	10.00
" E. Eldridge, work on road,	11.25
" Bucks & Co., iron work,	10.91
" Hildreth & Co., spikes,	19.04
" L. Slack, plank,	12.01
" J. Noyes, plank,	7.17
" William S. Ela, work,	18.75
" J. C. Sturtevant, board,	10.48
" Z. Huntington, plank,	3.89
" N. Purmoit, plank,	2.45
" W. Low, plank,	1.25
" A. P. Wood, plank,	2.53
" C. Hutchins, plank,	4.15
" W. Chadwick, plank,	7.50
" L. C. Moody, plank,	7.00
" W. S. Ela, plank,	.87
" T. Choate, plank,	2.05
" M. Dutton, plank,	.98
" E. Wells, plank,	2.50
" N. B. Stearns, plank,	2.75
" G. B. Eastman and Hoyt, plank,	2.00
" W. Kimball, plank,	3.60
" R. Walker, plank,	3.00
" A. Griswold, plank,	2.50
" A. Hoyt, work,	4.00
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	\$728.18

ORDINARY AND INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.

Paid	Polly Garland, note and interest,	320.30
"	County tax,	1,004.39
"	Urvilla L. Fellows, note and interest,	622.51
"	J. Morgan, use of stud horse,	5.00
"	Fire Engine Company,	52.50
"	State tax,	580.30
"	Kimball & Fales,	1.75
"	Milton Buswell, note and interest,	514.59
"	Hale & Ela, printing Reports,	16.25
"	Teachers' Institute,	33.16
"	W. D. Rockwood, care of Town Hall,	1.75
"	H. Hatch, settling pauper claim,	6.00
"	T. Truman, setting glass in Town Hall,	3.00
"	H. Hatch, work on common, after circus,	1.00
"	W. M. Fisher, guide-board,	1.50
"	L. C. Bean, recording births and deaths,	2.00
"	G. S. Kendrick, office rent,	12.00
"	C. L. Buswell, care of clock and bell,	15.00
"	Kimball & Fales, farm,	59.89
"	George W. Worthen, farm,	55.71
"	W. K. Eldridge, services on road,	3.50
"	George W. Bailey, Superintendent of Schools,	53.75
"	C. Benton, record book and stationery,	20.28
"	Charles Gallup, examining record,	3.35
"	T. A. Twitchel, " "	1.00
"	Charles Sturtevant, " "	2.75
"	J. D. Sleeper, County Clerk, examining,	1.70
"	Belknap County Insurance Company,	7.32
"	H. Hatch, ex. McCollister case,	23.00
"	A. H. Cragin, " "	4.00
"	R. Lovejoy, burying-ground gate, W. Lebanon,	.50
"	W. H. Morris, damage on horse,	28.00
"	R. S. Howe, surveying,	6.00
"	Horace Hatch, ex. pauper, Sunapee,	3.00
"	Abner Bacon, hearse-house, West Lebanon,	70.00
"	Lyman Greenough, for hearse, West Lebanon,	90.00
"	J. McCollister's bill,	.75
"	G. S. Towle, printing order notice, road,	3.00
"	R. Lund, fees,	2.00
"	W. S. Ela, repairing bell-wheel,	2.75
"	abatements on tax bill,	122.19
"	Town Clerk's services,	11.84
"	James H. Hildreth, collecting taxes,	59.00
"	Horace Hatch, bills, selectman,	138.75

Paid William S. Ela's bills, Selectman,	151.62
" Samuel Wood, 2d, bills, Selectman,	66.75
" R. S. Howe, Collector, 1857, abatements,	30.31
" R. S. Howe, for collecting old taxes,	1.00
" C. C. Benton, Auditor,	8.00
" Selectmen, overpaid R. S. Howe,	34.00
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	\$4,258.69

SUPPORT OF TOWN PAUPERS NOT ON THE FARM.

Paid for Betsey Dewey,	43.31
" A. Buckman,	4.28
" Dan Hall,	137.56
" Daniel Stanley,	47.28
" A. Flander's family,	3.00
" Charles Pickernell,	58.92
" Johnson Hardy family,	87.98
" E. Whitmore and wife,	22.25
" G. P. Robinson and family,	58.96
" Mrs. Maxwell and children,	52.91
" Holden Packard and wife,	22.62
" Asa Wood,	25.00
" Jacob Griffin,	17.20
" H. Hoffman,	1.30
" G. S. Kendrick, medicine for Miss Wood,	5.22
" Miss Wood,	18.05
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	\$605.84

SUPPORT OF COUNTY PAUPERS NOT ON FARM.

Paid for F. N. Flanders,	65.00
" William Hopkinson,	86.96
" Charles Gay and family,	8.95
" Bridget Basset,	17.38
" Mrs. Welch,	20.90
" Mrs. A. Perry,	6.50
" John Kelley,	85.69
" James McAffrey,	27.37
" Joseph Lawrence,	8.48
" Mrs. N. Dillon,	16.94
" Frank Prescott,	13.65
" Ezra Gee,	8.75
" J. McCollister,	52.00
" Mrs. Dana,	39.63
" transient paupers,	12.50
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	\$570.70

OLD BILLS NOT REPORTED.

Paid R. Lund, in Griffin case,	10.00
" A. Bacon, work on culvert,	12.00
" O. L. Stearns, on road,	3.00
" F. Loomer, on road,	1.25
" A. C. Hardy, on road,	1.25
" Osgood estate, road,	63.42
" G. H. Lathrop, road,	1.00
" H. G. Wood, Jr., road,	4.00
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	\$95.92

INVENTORY OF TOWN FARM, MARCH 1, 1859.

Farm, 180 acres,	\$3,000.00
1 horse, 9.00 ; 5 cows, 156.00 ; 1 yearling,	
10.00,	250.00
1 two years old colt, 60.00 ; 2 shotes, 35.00,	95.00
92 Sheep,	276.00
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	621.00

PROVISIONS AND PRODUCE.

13 tons hay, 156.00 ; 35 bus. oats, 17.50,	173.50
66 bus. corn, 66.00 ; 165 bus. potatoes, 66.00,	132.00
13 bus. rye, 13.00 ; 6 bus. meal, 6.00,	19.00
1 bu. salt, .58 ; 3 bus. beans, 4.50,	5.08
1½ bu. peas, 1.50 ; ½ bu. grass seed, 1.25,	2.75
105 lbs. cheese, 10.00 ; 18 lbs. butter, 3.00 ;	
10 lbs. tallow 1.00,	14.00
300 lbs. pork, 36.00 ; 84 lbs. lard, 11.76,	47.76
160 lbs. hams, 19.25 ; 75 lbs. beef, 450 ; 20	
lbs. candles, 2.40	26.15
50 lbs. dried apple, 5.00 ; 2 bbls. flour, 12.75,	17.75
18 gals. vinegar, 3.60 ; 12 do. boiled cider, 6.00,	9.60
½ bbl. soap, 268 ; 1 do. cider, 3.50,	6.18
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Household pr., inventory filed,	453.77
Farming tools, " "	150.00
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	\$4,377.52

BOARD OF TOWN PAUPERS ON FARM.

46 weeks' board of E. Whitmore and wife, 2.50,	\$115.00
52 do. of J. Lathe, 1.25,	65.00
52 do. of Miss Wood, 1.75,	91.00

	\$271.00

COUNTY PAUPERS ON FARM.

42 $\frac{3}{4}$ weeks' board of F. Prescott, 1.25,	\$53.04
38 do. of Honora Dana, 1.25,	47.50
28 $\frac{3}{4}$ do. of Dolphin B. Dana, .75,	21.25
38 $\frac{3}{4}$ do. of Wm. Dana,	19.20

	\$140.99

TOWN FARM, CR.

By invoice, March 1, 1859,	\$4,377.52
By sundry produce sold by Freeman,	131.18
By 267 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. wool sold,	107.00
By one yoke of oxen sold,	85.00
By board town paupers,	271.00
By board county paupers,	140.99

	5,112.69

TOWN FARM, DR.

To invoice, March 1, 1858,	\$4,391.94
To interest on farm,	180.00
To paid 1 cow,	25.00
To sundries, paid by Freeman,	158.06
To paid G. W. Worthen's bill,	55.71
To paid Kimball & Fale's bill,	59.89
Due S. Freeman, services,	230.00

	5,100.60
Balance in favor of farm,	\$12.39

G. S. KENDRICK, AS TOWN AGENT.

Merchandise on hand Feb. 1, 1858,	\$296.20
Purchased up to Feb. 1, 1859,	743.49
Services of agent,	100.00
Balance received of agent,	36.04

	\$1,175.73
Merchandise sold to Feb. 1, 1859,	\$877.60
Merchandise on hand Feb. 1, 1859,	298.13

	\$1,175.73

DEBTS OF THE TOWN, MARCH 1, 1859.

Joseph Brown, note and interest,	\$306.00
Luther Kennie, note and interest,	177.00
Mrs. M. Child, note and interest,	512.04
Lebanon Bank, note,	6,210.51
Due the several school districts,	1,060.68
Due S. Freeman, services on farm,	230.00
	————— \$8,496.23

ASSETS.

McCollister's bills, put over,	98.00
Mrs. M. Welch, put over,	14.37
County pauper bills,	711.69
Merchandise in Town Agent's hands,	298.13
Balance in Collector's hands,	493.13
Cash in R. S. Howe's hands,	34.00
Due from Northern Railroad corporation,	600.00
Due from School District No. 2,	10.00
Cash on hand,	521.66
	————— 2,780.98

Town indebtedness,	\$5,715.25
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The foregoing represents the receipts and disbursements of the financial affairs of the town of Lebanon for the past year, according to the books, which are well vouched and correctly cast.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. C. BENTON, *Auditor.*

LEBANON, March 1, 1859.

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